



2025 Glacier Falls Summer Classic

July 32 – August 03, 2025
Hosted by Glacier Falls FSC
Anaheim, California

Entry deadline: July 6, 2025, at 11:59pm (ET)

I. COMPETITION OVERVIEW

The 2025 Glacier Falls Summer Classic will be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of U.S. Figure Skating, as set forth in the [current rulebook](#), and/or [current Compete USA handbook](#) as well as any pertinent updates that have been posted on the U.S. Figure Skating [website](#).

This competition is open to all eligible, restricted, reinstated or readmitted persons as defined by the Eligibility Rules.

Skaters must be a currently registered member of a U.S. Figure Skating member club, Learn to Skate USA® member, a collegiate club or who is an individual member in accordance with the current rulebook. For non-U.S. citizens, please refer to the [rulebook](#) for more information.

NQS SERIES INFORMATION:

*****For Juvenile through Senior well balanced NQS, please use the following registration link:** <https://m.usfigureskating.org/competition/35645?id=35645>

II. ELIGIBILITY

Singles: Excel and Well-Balanced Events:

- Skaters must meet at least the minimum singles test requirements for the event's level. A skater's singles test level may be higher than the minimum requirement.
 - o Skate Up: skaters may skate up one level higher than their minimum test requirement allows.
- Skaters may not register for an event level lower than allowed by their competitive floor. An athlete's competitive floor is set by one of the following scenarios:

- If an athlete has a paid EMS series application for the NQS series, the event level registered for in the most recent NQS will become the lowest level they may compete at in any U.S. Figure Skating sanctioned event.
- If an athlete has a paid EMS series application for the Excel Series, the event level registered for in the most recent Excel series will become the lowest level they may compete in any Excel event. For Well-Balanced and Specialty events the skater will be permitted to register at one level lower than the “floor” set by their excel series entry.
- If an athlete has never had a paid EMS series application in the NQS or Excel series, the athlete may select their level based on their goals and technical skills if the minimum test requirements are met.
- Skaters are not permitted to enter an Excel free skate and a Well-Balanced free skate event at the same competition (example: Juvenile Girls Free Skate and Juvenile Girls Excel Free Skate). However, they are permitted to enter an Excel and a Well-Balanced event of different types such as a short program (if stand-alone event option), specialty or showcase events (example: Intermediate Women Short Program and Intermediate Women Excel Free Skate).
- For more details about establishing event levels, refer to the information sheet [HERE](#) or email events@usfigureskating.org.

All other singles and partner events (such as Adults, Pairs, Ice Dance):

- Skaters must meet the minimum test requirements for the events level, but not exceed the maximum permissible test requirement.

EVENTS OFFERED:

- **U.S. Figure Skating Program Requirements:** usfigureskating.org --> [Skate --> Compete --> Program Requirements](#)
- **Compete USA Program Requirements:** learntoskateusa.com/competeusa
- **Skate United:** For any Skate United (S.U.) Athlete, please have them register for their appropriate level under the “standard” option. Once the registration is complete, the following form must be submitted to the competition chair via email at russcscott@gmail.com
 - [Click here for the Skate United Athlete Form.](#)
- **Skating Accommodation Memorandum (S.A.M.):** Skaters using a S.A.M. must submit their S.A.M. to the competition chair via email at russcscott@gmail.com
 - [Click here for more information about S.A.Ms.](#)

On the program requirements page linked above, competitions that fall within the date range beside the program requirements must use those requirements.

SINGLES	JUDGING	1 st Event Price	2 nd Event Price	3 rd Event Price
Excel Free Skate (Pre-Preliminary – Senior)	IJS	\$185	\$99	\$75
Well Balanced Short Program (Juvenile, Open juvenile)	IJS	\$185	\$99	\$75
Well Balanced Free Skate (Pre-Preliminary, Preliminary, Pre-Juvenile, Open Juvenile)	IJS	\$185	\$99	\$75
Adult Free Skate (Pre-Bronze – Master Jr/Sr)	IJS	\$185	\$99	\$75
Adult Beginner & High Beginner Free Skate	6.0	\$135	\$90	\$70

PAIRS	JUDGING	1 st Event Price	2 nd Event Price	3 rd Event Price
Adult Pairs Free Skate	IJS	\$185	\$99	\$75
SHOWCASE	JUDGING	1 st Event Price	2 nd Event Price	3 rd Event Price
Emotional Performance (Pre-Preliminary- Senior, Adult)	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Choreographic Artistry (Pre-Preliminary- Senior, Adult)	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Lyrical Pop (Pre-Preliminary- Senior, Adult)	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Character Performance (Pre-Preliminary- Senior, Adult)	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Comedic Impressions (Pre-Preliminary- Senior, Adult)	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Duets/Trios (Pre-Preliminary- Senior, Adult)	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Theme Event	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Inflatables	CJS	\$180	\$95	\$75
Adaptive Individual Showcase	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Adaptive Unified Partner Showcase	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT	JUDGING	1 st Event Price	2 nd Event Price	3 rd Event Price
Compulsory Moves (Level 1 - 8)	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Jumps Challenge (Level 1 – 9)	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Spins Challenge (Level 1 – 6)	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
COMPETE USA EVENTS	JUDGING	1 st Event Price	2 nd Event Price	3 rd Event Price
Snowplow Sam-Basic 6 Program w/ Music	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Aspire 1-4 Program w/ Music	6.0	\$115	\$70	\$70
Adult 1-6 Program w/ Music	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Snowplow Sam – Basic 6 Elements	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Compete USA – Showcase (Basic 1-6, Aspire 1-4)	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
ADAPTIVE	JUDGING	1 st Event Price	2 nd Event Price	3 rd Event Price
Special Olympics Badges 2 - 12	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Special Olympics – Free Skate, Pairs, Dance	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70
Skate United <i>*see statement above</i>	6.0	\$90	\$70	\$70

OUR COMMUNITY:

U.S. Figure Skating is dedicated to fostering a culture of belonging and community that is welcoming for all individuals. We are committed to championing diversity, equity and inclusion and understand its value in combating discrimination and challenging inequalities necessary to develop champions both on and off the ice. We are actively working toward developing equitable practices and policies that foster safety and empower all individuals to authentically pursue their unique path in all areas of our sport. We stand firmly on the belief that our members are the most important asset to our organization and that our differences are meaningful and

strengthen our sport. We believe that skating is for everyone.

NON-DISCRIMINATION:

U.S. Figure Skating commits in policy, principle and practice to sustain a non-discriminatory approach on and off the ice for all members. We strive to provide equal opportunity for all despite their varied backgrounds, experiences and identities, and want all members to feel valued and respected at every level of organization. U.S. Figure Skating's SkateSafe® Program receives, investigates and addresses allegations of discrimination or harassment throughout its membership and the organization. Please refer to the [SkateSafe® Program Handbook](#) for further definition of harassment, discrimination and abuse.

By attending this event, all participants are willingly committing to upholding U.S. Figure Skating's Code of Ethics (*GR 1.01*) and Code of Conduct (*GR 1.02*), as detailed within the [U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook](#).

To report a concern of discrimination or harassment to U.S. Figure Skating, please visit www.USFigureSkating.org/SkateSafe or email SkateSafe@USFigureSkating.org.

ATHLETE ASSISTANCE/ACCOMMODATIONS:

Should a skater with disabilities require any specific accommodations or assistance for their competitive event, please submit your approved S.A.M to the Competition Chair by the registration deadline at russcscott@gmail.com.

COMPLIANCE:

For full details about participant compliance requirements, refer to the U.S. Figure Skating SkateSafe® webpage: <https://www.usfigureskating.org/skatesafe#compliance>.

COACHES

To be an eligible coach at a nonqualifying competition, coaches must meet the applicable compliance requirements and verified by U.S. Figure Skating. Coach compliance falls into two categories, Coach Compliance (includes choreographers) and Learn to Skate USA® Instructor Compliance. Details regarding compliance requirements can be found [HERE](#). All compliance requirements must be met at the time of check-in to access the competition, no exceptions.

Coaches of foreign athletes: If you are a coach of a foreign athlete only, you are not subject to U.S. Figure Skating coach compliance and will only be asked to provide a letter of good standing for the federation your athlete represents.

*TWO coach credentials per registered athlete will be included

With EMS, coaches must be included within a skater/team's registration or updated through their EMS Skater Portal via "[My Coaches](#)" or "Team Personnel." All coaches declared at the time of registration will be included in the registration confirmation email. Note: There is no registration approval process within EMS as the data (membership and test level) is tied to the U.S. Figure Skating database. Non-compliant coaches will receive automated email reminders through the start of the competition.

EMS Coach Resources (not SYS or TOI):

- [My Competitions](#)
- [My Skaters](#)
- [Coach Schedule](#)

MANDATORY ATHLETES

Athletes age 18+ as of the competition start date who will be competing on a team (i.e., synchro, ice dance, pairs, shadow dance, theatre, etc.) with at least one Minor Athlete must complete SafeSport™ Training. *

Minor athletes who turn 18 mid-season are encouraged to seek parental consent to take the online SafeSport™ Training early to avoid any disruptions in their ability to participate as the training is required upon turning 18. The athlete will not be compliant until they have completed the training and their Members Only portal reflects completion. Please email skatesafe@usfigureskating.org for instructions or questions regarding parental consent.

III. REGISTRATION INFORMATION

ONLINE REGISTRATION VIA EMS

Online registrations will be accepted via [EMS](#). Payment must be made at the time of registration by credit card only. Each transaction includes a 3% transaction fee.

Registration Deadline: July 6, 2025, at 11:59pm (ET)

*The host club reserves the right to close registration at any time if event capacity is met.

1. Go to www.usfsaonline.org
2. Enter your U.S. Figure Skating or if Compete USA events are offered, your Learn to Skate USA® member number and password
 - a. If you need assistance with your member number and password, contact Member Services at memberservices@usfigureskating.org.
3. Click EMS then "Competition Registration"
4. Choose "**2025 Glacier Falls Summer Classic**" from the list of nonqualifying competitions.
 - a. If you need assistance completing your registration, contact productsupport@usfigureskating.org.

PARTNERED EVENTS:

Only one partner will complete registration for the team. During the registration process, you will be asked to identify your partner and verify their test information. **The registered partner will be responsible for managing all aspects of the competition for the team including music/PPC upload, practice ice sales, etc.**

FOREIGN SKATERS:

Non-U.S. skaters intending to register for this competition must set up a non-member account prior to registering for the competition ([click here for HOW TO](#)). This can be done by choosing the "Non-Member? Create Account" option on the [Members Only](#) login page.

TEST CREDIT:

There is a change to procedure that has been requested by US Figure Skating and our accounting staff. To receive test credit, the request for IJS Protocol for Test Credit form and \$10 fee must be submitted to the registration desk at least two hours before your event.

MUSIC SUBMISSION/UPLOAD:

EMS MUSIC UPLOAD: Competitors participating in events with music are required to upload their music to EMS no later than **July 21, 2025 at 11:59pm (ET)**. After this date, skaters will be locked out of this feature and subject to a **\$30 late fee**. The late fee will automatically be added to each skater's cart who doesn't meet this requirement by the deadline. Late fees will not be removed under any circumstances and must be paid prior to receiving the skater credential onsite.

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EMS SKATER MUSIC UPLOAD HOW TO: [CLICK HERE](#)

If you need assistance, email productsupport@usfigureskating.org

Competitors must also have available a backup copy of their competition music on a cell phone, and it must be immediately available rinkside whenever the skater competes. If the phone does not have the standard round headset connector, an appropriate adapter, such as an Apple Lightning connector or Samsung USB-C adapter is required to be attached. The phone should be presented to the music person with the file ready to play, phone in airplane mode and volume turned to maximum.

PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT (PPC) SUBMISSION/UPLOAD – FOR IJS EVENTS ONLY:

EMS PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT (PPC) – Competitors participating in IJS events are required to submit PPC in EMS no later than **July 21, 2025 at 11:59pm (ET)**. After this date, skaters will be locked out of this feature in EMS and subject to a **\$30 late fee**. The late fee will automatically be added to each skater's cart who doesn't meet this requirement by the deadline. Late fees will not be removed under any circumstances and must be paid prior to receiving the skater credential onsite.

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REFUND POLICY

Entry fees will not be refunded after the close of entries, unless no competition exists, or the event is canceled. There will be no refunds for medical withdrawals. The online processing fees are not refundable. Checks returned for non-sufficient funds and contested credit card charges will be issued a \$50.00 fee. Payment of the fee will be required before the skater is allowed to participate in practice ice or events. Notification of competition and practice ice times will be available through the EMS Portal and the Glacier Falls website at www.glacierfalls.com.

Two skaters constitute an event. Events with only one entry after the combining of events by the referee are considered canceled, and the sole skater will be offered a refund, or the opportunity to skate a critique (with judges) or an exhibition (without judges). Events with one entry after the combining of events by the referee, where the skater does not re-confirm their intention to skate by July 17, 2023, will automatically be cancelled by the referee and processed for a refund.

LIABILITY:

U.S. Figure Skating, Learn to Skate USA®, Glacier Falls FSC and The Rinks Anaheim ICE accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in this competition. This is in accordance with Rule 1600 of the official U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook.

IV. COMPETITION DETAILS

FACILITIES:

The competition will be held at The Rinks – Anaheim ICE, 300 West Lincoln Ave., Anaheim, CA 92805, on both the NHL and Olympic Rinks. The ice surface for the NHL Rink is approximately 85' by 200' with slightly rounded corners. The ice surface for the Olympic Rink is approximately 100' by 200' with slightly rounded corners. The rink has a snack bar in the lobby and there are numerous restaurants in the area. Free parking is available (with validation) in the parking structure adjacent to the rink at the corner of Clementine Street and Center Street Promenade. For more information about the facility: www.therinks.com

LOCKER ROOMS AND CHANGING AREAS:

Locker rooms and changing areas will not be available this competition. All athletes are expected to arrive at the arena ready (costumes, hair, make-up etc.). Athletes will be provided with an area to put skates on but changing will not be permitted in these spaces.

U.S. Figure Skating Travel Policy:

All travel must strictly adhere to Two-Deep Leadership requirements. An Adult Participant cannot transport a Minor Athlete one-on-one and Two-Deep Leadership requirements must be adhered to at all times during In-Program travel, by transporting at least two minors or a second Adult Participant. An Adult Participant cannot share a hotel room or other sleeping arrangement with a Minor Athlete(s). Full details of the SkateSafe® Travel Policy and any exceptions can be found starting on page 12 of the [SkateSafe® Handbook](#).

OFFICIAL WEBSITE & UPDATES:

It is the responsibility of each competitor, parent and coach to check the competition website (www.glacierfalls.com) frequently for any schedule changes and/or additional information pertaining to the competition.

Starting orders and results: TBD

SCHEDULE

Competitors may be scheduled on any day or time during the announced dates of the competition. The competition and practice ice schedule will be available after the close of entries. All participants will be notified via email once available.

PRACTICE ICE:

Contingent on the number of entries, practice ice for the competition will be offered through the competition committee. **Final details for scheduling practice ice will be made available to competitors through the EMS Competition Portal on or near July 15, 2024.**

ONSITE CHECK-IN:

Check-in will open one hour before the first scheduled event each day.

CREDENTIALS and ADMISSIONS:

When registering at the competition, each competitor will receive a competitor's badge. Each competitor may request two (2) professional badges and one (1) chaperone badge, which will be issued at no charge.

An admission fee will be charged for all non-credentialed spectators. The fee is \$ 10.00 per day or \$30.00 for an all-event pass. Children under the age of 10 will be admitted for free.

AWARDS:

Medals will be awarded to first through fourth place winners for all events. Medals will be awarded for **ALL skaters in Compete USA events** (Snowplow Sam through Basic 6, including Showcase events).

PHOTO/VIDEO:

Live and on-demand streaming, and sales and distribution of U.S. Figure Skating sanctioned and approved events, programs, and activities that include the playback of music is strictly prohibited. This prohibition does not apply to the distribution of footage that does not include music. Questions about this can be directed to music@usfigureskating.org.

Action and awards photography, <http://cynthiaslawterphotography.com> and videography, <https://www.coronadoproductions.net> will be available for purchase at the rink during the competition. All other videotaping and photography is restricted to hand held battery operated equipment, without monopod or tripod. No photography or videotaping, except by the official photographer, without the express permission of the person being photographed or videotaped is allowed. Photography or videotaping for any commercial purpose is strictly prohibited. Flash photography is prohibited at all times during the competition.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

LODGING:

The official hotel for the Summer Classic is the Ayer's Hotel, Anaheim. It is located at 2550 E. Katella Ave, Anaheim, CA 92806. Their website is www.ayersanaheim.com. Hotel accommodations are available at a discounted rate. Please call the hotel directly to make reservations. (714) 634-2106.

Nearby Anaheim attractions: including Disneyland, The Anaheim Packing House. <https://www.anaheimpackingdistrict.com/merchants>, Knotts Berry Farm, Anaheim Stadium, Downtown Disney, Honda Center and The Rinks Anaheim ICE.

AIRPORT INFORMATION:

There are several nearby airports. The closest is Orange County - John Wayne airport (SNA). Los Angeles International, (LAX) Long Beach, (LGB) and Ontario, (ONT) are also nearby.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Competition website: www.glacierfalls.com

For questions, please contact the following individuals:

Competition Chair:	Russ Scott	russcscott@gmail.com
Chief Referee:	Lisa Erle	lnrle68@aol.com
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